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McKINLEY COUNTY PARTIAL RELEASE OF OIL AND GAS LEASE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That Santa Fe Energy Company, a corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Texas, does hereby release, remise, and relinquish all of its right, title and interest in and to that certain oil, gas and mineral lease dated August 13, 1980, executed by Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company (SFP-10020), as lessor, to Santa Fe Energy Company, as lessee of record in Vol. 31, Page 703, of the records of McKinley County, and in Vol. 893, Page 260 of the records of San Juan County, State of New Mexico and as amended by Amendment to Lease dated July 1, 1981, recorded in Vol. 54, Page 881, and Amendment to Lease dated November 19, 1981, recorded in Vol. 53, Page 93, of the records of McKinley County, State of New Mexico, and all co-lessors' agreements relating thereto and ratifications thereof, if any, insofar and only insofar as said lease and other related instruments, if any, cover and include the following described property situated in said counties and state, to-wit:

All of said lease LESS AND EXCEPT the following portions, situated in McKinley County, State of New Mexico:

T19N, R6W, NMPH

Section 8: SE/4 (160.00)

Section 17: All (640.00)

Section 18: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E/2 W/2, E/2 (639.44)

T19N, R7W, NMPH

Section 13: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, W/2 E/2, W/2 (635.96)

Section 14: E/2, SW/4 (480.00)

T17N, R8W, NMPH

Section 7: Lot 4, SE/4, NE/4 SW/4 (239.73)

(From 100 feet below the base of Dakota down.)

T17N, R9W, NMPH

Section 28: SE/4 (160.00)

WITNESS the hand and seal of said corporation this the 25th day of July, 1984.

ATTEST:

SANTA FE ENERGY COMPANY

W. W. Shivers

Assistant Secretary

By: J. L. Bridwell

J. L. Bridwell, Vice President

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THE STATE OF TEXAS I  
COUNTY OF POTTER I

On this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1984, before me, the undersigned authority, appeared J. L. Bridwell, to me personally known and known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument who being by me duly sworn did say that he is the Vice President of Santa Fe Energy Company, and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, and that said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of said corporation, by authority of its Board of Directors, and said appearer acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation and also acknowledged to me that he executed the same as the act and deed of Santa Fe Energy Company and in the capacity therein set out for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on the date hereinabove set out.



BARBARA SANFORD  
Notary Public, State of Texas  
My Commission expires 7-18-85

Barbara Sanford  
Notary Public in and for  
Potter County, Texas

# 216,201

Amount of money  
deposited in bank  
\$16,000.00  
Date of deposit 7-18-84  
by J. L. Bridwell  
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7-18-84  
84-216,201  
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by J. L. Bridwell